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Applicant : K. SHIMOOKA et al  
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**AMENDMENT**

Sir:

In response to the Office Action of July 12, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows. A Petition and fee for a two-month Extension of Time also accompanies this response.

**Amendments to the Title** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 12 of this paper.

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Amendment filed December 13, 2004

Reply to Office Action of July 12, 2004

**Amendments to the Title:**

Please amend the Title, as follows: A COMPUTING SYSTEM IN  
WHICH A PLURALITY OF PROGRAMS CAN RUN ON THE HARDWARE OF ONE  
COMPUTER.